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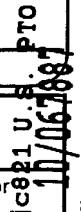
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 20002.0236

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Title GOLF BALL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING OXA ESTERS

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning design patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. Specification [Total Pages 32]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 2]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 3]

- Newly executed (original or copy)
- Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/608,566, filed June 30, 2000, now allowed, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/215,370, filed December 18, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,121,384, which is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/978,510, filed November 25, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,869,578, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/560,763, filed November 21, 1995, now abandoned. This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/225,341, filed January 5, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,084,016, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/828,636, filed March 31, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,856,388, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/482,520, filed June 7, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,616,640. The entire disclosures of these applications are incorporated by reference herein.
- DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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of prior application No: 09 / 608,566

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107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
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114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
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105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		
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139	130	139	130 Non-English specification		
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for reexamination		
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month		
116	400	216	200 Extension for reply within second month		
117	920	217	460 Extension for reply within third month		
118	1,440	218	720 Extension for reply within fourth month		
128	1,960	228	980 Extension for reply within fifth month		
119	310	219	155 Notice of Appeal		
120	310	220	155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
121	270	221	135 Request for oral hearing		
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable		
141	1,280	241	620 Petition to revive - unintentional		
142	1,280	242	620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
143	460	243	220 Design issue fee		
144	620	244	300 Plant issue fee		
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner		
123	130	123	130 Petitions related to provisional applications		
126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
146	740	246	355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
149	740	249	355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
179	740	279	370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application		
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